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Are WE IN IT This Spring?

Well, I Guess Yes!

 Y_{t-1} will agree with us if you call and exam-Pathe our stock of Imported Novelties

SUITINGS, TROUSERINGS AND OVERCOATINGS.

With take great pleasure in presenting our inspection, for never stock for your inspection, for never stand indianallities are sitting about talkers of the standing ing and singing or making preparations for to-morrow. On the outskirts of the camp stand indiana decked in blanket bet a have we had such an extensive and with here and there a squaw with her election of Piece Goods to select from LATEST STYLES, BEST QUALITY, NOT A CHESTNUT AMONG THEM: and we can may be seen on guard but their task is Sara You Money, as we are the Cheapest House in the city, quality of goods, excelberry of workmanship and elegance of cut ant fit con idered.

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Offer the following prices +FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.+

- 25 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, Extra! length, worth \$1.25, for \$1.00 a pair.
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MUSLIN UNDERWEAR NEVER WAS CHEAPER.

10 doz. Ladies' Chemise at 25c each. 5 doz. Ladies' Chemise at 35c each.

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- 50 SPRING WRAPS, a little out of style, can be made into handsome garments for children; cost \$7, \$8 and \$9; will be sold

The New Store,

S. HUMPHREYS.

ON THE BORDERLAND.

IN THE GRAND RUSH FOR HOMESTEADS

Hiding on the Land-Some of the Hardships of Settlers Who

GUTHRIE, Okla., April 18.-Fifty thoa ions, all unxious for the arrival of toow, with its scenes of excitemen and its wild race for homes. Six trains have arrived on the Rock Island to-day. nd two on the Choctaw, all loads ers. Among the latter was James E. Dixon, a member of the English house All day prairie schooners and horseme continued to arrive, and a few strag-glers are still arriving to-night; but the crowd is about all on the line now.

Men, women and children of all ages and nationalities are sitting about talk-

line over which none dare cross. Here and there a few blue-conted soldiers

About 10,000 people are on the line in the vicinity of El Reno, two-thirds as many at Kingfisher, 2,000 at Honnessey and as many at Dover. About 5,000 are near Cantonment in the Cherokeestrip, and about 8,000 in the Wichita reservation directly west from Minco. These with the 2,000 negroes at Cimarron City, make up the large crowds on the border though there are thousands of long the entire line of the reservation. Soldler are scattered at intervals all along the line and a company of sol-diers and a posse of United States marshals surround every county seat. The marshals are scattered all over the eservation and they have orders to con dscate all arms and liquors found or any person. There are possibly from 3,000 to 5,000 "sooners" hiding in the timber and ravines on the land, but most of them have been spotted and will gain nothing by their illegal acts. The settiers who came overland from Texas to the south line of the reserva-tion have suffered for food. The trip was a long one and the provisions of many gave out, and as no person dare self anything in the unopened reservaons, except government traders, the eople are at the mercy of those scoun-rels who robbed them right and left, red for flour, five dollars a pound for coffee, two dollars for salt pork and everything else in proportion and many a home-seeker was compeled to spend

is little all to keep his family alive. elieves Reform and Retrenohment Should Begin at Home. WASHINGTON, April 10.—Congressman of Ohio, is credited with an inof congress themselves. The bill will provide that members shall upon their arrival at the capitol present to the

committee on milenge a certified copy of their expenses in reaching the capi-tol, and that this amount and no more shall be allowed them as their mileage.
"This congress, says Mr. Doan, "has to reduce the price of sheep and has cut the price of wool down twelve cents a pound. It has also by a bill sought to reduce the cost of material for the cot-ton growers of the south, and now I want it to still further lessen the burdens of the people by going a step further and removing from then the excessive charges they collect in the shape of mileage. In its anxiety for economy congress only allows nemy officers four which they belong, who shall have of integer. In its anxiety for economy over to the futurities of the intended congress only allows army officers four which they belong, who shall have cents a milb for transportation, and I jurisdiction to try the offenders and

The following games were played Sat-

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at st. Louis. Cloveland-Rain.

AT BALTIMORE Baltimore Boston Rain. AT EINCHMATI.
Cincinnati-Chicago-Rain.
AT WASHINGTON.
Washington-New York-Rain

AT LOUISVILLE Louisville-Pittsburgh-Rain. Scheduled Games for To-Day.

Beheduled Cames Cloveland at St. Louis. Chicago at Cincinnati. Pittaburgh at Louisville. Bronklyn at Washington New York at Haltimore. Hoston at Philadelphia. Worthy of Death.

Anniston, Ala., April 19.—George Humphries, a negro, entered the house of Prof. D. E. Moses, Sunday night, and fter chloroforming his 13-year-old after chlorotorming and layear-old daughter, outraged her. He was seen escaping through a window. Officers arrested him yesterday and threats of lynching were made. The child is in a ritical condition.

children; cost \$7, \$8 and \$9; will be sold tor \$1.00 each. Any one having children to clothe can save big money by these garments.

The Next to Millikin's Bank,

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Sund Liver Makes a Well Man. Are you Bilious, Constipated or trombled with a painful awelling of the feet, which physicians claimed was rheumatic gout. I was treated by some of our best physicians, and obtained but little, if any relief, and used many so called "cures," without used in the winter of 1887, when in Back and between the benefit. During the winter of 1887, when your Liver does not set properly. Hersensy will cure any first application reduced the swelling and inflammation, and the use of come fitty cent bottle so completely relieved me, that I discontinued my cause and was at 8 wearingen & Tyler's.

Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c. If you best went of 1887, when in Back and between the winter, I have been troubled with Janualies, Sick Hemilacuse and obtained but little, if any relief, and used many so called "cures," without used in the winter of 1887, when in the Back and between the benefit. During the winter of 1887, when it is sout of order and your blood is clowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not set properly. Hersensy will cure any cent bottle so completely relieved me, that I discontinued my cause and was at 8 wearingen & Tyler's.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS. TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 19, 1892.

-Reports from the Crimea state that Russ is fortifying Sebastopol in a most formidab in Town.

posted at the bureau of contagious diseases resterilary.

—The body of a man, who proved to be Goo.

S. McCulleugh, of Pittaburgh, was found in one of the settling basins of the St. Louis water works yesterday.

—Chief Engineer M. B. Clark, U. S. N., retired, died in Washington yesterday morning. Mr. Clark invented it be deflective armor now used on war ships of all nations.

—A regularly ordined preacher from Ohio is confined in the Washington City workhouse on a charge of vagrancy. His offense was preaching the gospel on the public highways.

—Charles H. Hatch, 31 years old, a New York broker, committed suicide, yesterday morning, by shooting in the head. Despondency is supposed to lave been the cause of the deed.

—The non-union miners of Durham, Ea-

The non-union miners of Durham, Ea gland, about 10,000 in number, resumed work to-day. The men had nothing to do with the trike, but were forced out of employment by

—Morthorn France is being visited by the sharp weather that has turned England back to midwintor. Enster was chilly, and it is feared that there will be much sickness on account of the exposure of women in the new fashions and light attire of that day.
—The jury in the case of Wm. E. Woodruff, ex-state treasurer, of Arkansas, charged with embezsing state funds and converting them to his own use, returned a vertilet, yesterday, or not guilty. This was the second trial, the large in the first full which coursed last No-

THE MODUS VIVENDI

WASHINGTON, April 19.—An agreement between the United States and Irent Britain for a modus vivendi in relation to the fur seal fisheries in Behr-Pauncefote, the British minister, repreimportant agreement was signed at 11 venther, did not go to the department. He at once took it over to the executive mansion and laid it before the president, who in the afternoon transmitted

The modus is in the form of a supple bitration recently negotiated and ratified. The modus vivendi states that both governments will prohibit during the sealing season the killing of seal in that part of the Behring sea lying east-ward of the line of demarcation, de-scribed in article 1 of the treaty of 1867, between the United States and Russia

citizens and vessels to an observance of this agreement.

The United States, it is understood, is allowed to kill for the subsistence of the natives on the islands of St. Paul nd St. George 7,500 seals, the same r striction as was made last year, and the

United States binds itself to observe this prohibition. The vessels of either the United States or Great Britain, or eitizens of either country, offending against this

cents a milts for transportation, and I jurisdiction to try the offenders and want it to be equally as economical in their own case. If four cents is enough for an army officer it ought to be for a member of congress who is also a public servant. It is time for us to return that forty cents we do not use and thus relieve a 'depleted trensury.'"

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Linder this clause, owners of Canadian

Under this clause, owners of Canadian sealing vessels have already begun to file their claims with a commission appointed to receive and present them. But Gen. Foster, the agent of the United States, who is preparing the case for the government, and Hon. E. J. Phelps, ounsel, are leaving to point uncovered and will be fully prepared to meet the claims on this score in the event that they shall ever be pressed for payment.

The Van Loon Murder Triel Resumed. OTTAWA, O., April 19.—The Van Loor murder trial was resumed yesterday the defendant having arranged mat ters with his attorneys so that they again took up the defense. Van Loon's father-in-law testified yesterday mornthat the prisoner came to him, two days after the Columbus Grove bank rob-bery, with a big roll of bills, saying: "Look there, pa; who says I can't make

Van Loon was very unruly, and had to be taken into the court room by

Three Hundred Shote From One Charge HERLIN, April 19 .- Secret trials a Spandau with a carbonic acid rifle re ervoir have proved very successful. Its nunounced that with one charge, 300 shots can be fired.

BARNUM SHOW COMING.

An Advance Representative of th Barnum & Bailey Circus

Mr. Hugh Coyte, special press repreentative of Barnum 🏃 Bailey's greatest show on earth, arrived in the city last evening, and advertising car No. 1 will be here to-day and to-morrow to apprise the people of the fact that his company will pitch their tents in Decatur soon.

Being an old journalist, of course Mr. Coyle first pays his respects to the newspaper fraternity. A week ago he left Madison Square Garden, New York, where the great institution is playing a continuous engagement of five weeks.

in capacity it holds ten thousand or thereabouts—if it were twice as large it would be impossible to accommodate the

the Discovery of America," which is newildering and estounding in its dezling splendor.

arger than any used by other shows and that grand historical dramatic and uired an outlay of fully half a million \$350,000, the chariots, floats, triumphal \$50,000 more. An immense sum has been spent in searching in foreign countries for the historical material and data upon which the spectacle is

The date for this show's appearance in Decatur has not yet been definitely settled, but it will be some time about June 15. The New York engagement closes on April 23d, and one of a week's duration will then be commenced in

"How many tented shows are now traveling in this country?" was asked "It is hard to answers that question,

he said; " there must be fifty at least They are springing into existence every the larger cities, the metropolitan centers such as New York, Philade phis, Boston, Baltimore, Washington, phis, Boston, Baltimore, Washington, Chicago, St. Louis, etc, it is hard to keep the run of them. In traveling we come across their bills in the small towns occasionally, but very rarely do they strike a city as large as this. In the vernacular of metropolitan showmen, they are classed humorously as 'cross-roaders,' as their business is principally done in the small towns and villages, where the Barnum show, owing to the enormous expenses, could not afford to play. The conditions for our concern to make money or even pay running expenses must be a large resident population and good thickly settled surrounding country to draw from. Of course good weather

Died on the Train. On Sanday morning a gentleman whose

ame could not be ascertained boarded Wabash train No. 43, which passes through this city at 6 a. m., Decatur. He & W. railroad, and his ticket read to Golden, all., a small station on the Keo-kuk branch of the Webseh. After the train left Bloffs, a station fifty miles from here, the conductor, Mr. John Kapps, missed him, and as the train was near Versailles he looked into the water-clust and to his surprise from the corcloset and to his surprise found the gentheman sitting there dead. The coroner at Mt. Sterling, Ill., the county seat of Brown county, was telegraphed to and the remains were left there, where an inquest will be held to-day. It is supposed among the train men that he died of heart trouble. His name and place of residence have not hear lawred. residence have not been learned,-Springfield Journal.

Robson, the Star Comedian. Stuart Robson, the star comedian of the first magnitude in America, the peer of first magnitude in America, the peer of Booth in his line of work, will appear to night at the Grand in "The Henrietta," supported by a strong company. Mr. Robson should by greated by a crowded house. Decatur play-geers always recognize star attractions in a satisfantial manner, and by so doing Manager Haines is enabled to put on his books for future coasons the best companies traveling. We are always glad to welcome Robson, and Russell and Booth and they will continue to visit us if we will give them a creditable welcome. Let everybody go oreditable welcome. Let everybody go to night and see Robson as Bertie, the

MARRIED.

Real Estate Sales. Charles W. Battles et al to J. B. Rob-son, lot 14 in C. W. Battles' sub-division of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of 10, 16, 2 east—\$400.

ldition to Decatur, \$100. Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Cheege at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Taylor.
LIVE STORE, Estimated receipts—
Hoge—23,000; steady.
Cattle—7,000; tirm.
Gham—Oar lots—
Wheat 100; Corn 335; Oats 360.

Discharged. Ed. Winegardner who has done faithul service as a member of the Decatur Guards, has been bonorably discharged "Yes; and no more will he have to answer the call of Captain Colladay.

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

(First Seesion.)

AENAYS.

WASHINDTON, April 18.—The vice-president stated that he had received a communication from Mr. James R. Young, late chief executive clerk, with a request that the lath defore the senate, and he accordingly presented it and it will it on the table.

fore the senate, and he accordingly proceeded it, and it will lie on the table.

Mr. Vance, from the committee on public buildings, reported adversely the proposal to construct a shelter over the castern end of the capitol for the next presidential inauguration.

Mr. Vest presented resolutions of the St. Louis merchants' exchange protecting against the United States and Brazilian Steamship Corclusing to land at Newport News coffee shipped from Brazil, the discrimination being a blow aimed at the commerce of the west and south and he also offered a bill to remedy the evil.

Mr. Controll supplemented these attacks are

would be impossible to accommodate the vast throngs of people who try to attend the daily afternoon and evening performances.

One of the great attractions this season is the spectacle of "Columbus, and the Discourse of America" which is

Mr. Sherman gave notice that to-morrow, or as soon thereafter as possible, he would call the as soon thereafter as possible, he would call the attention of the senate to the Chinese exclusion bill, for the reseon that it must be passed within twenty days if passed at all.

The senate then proceeded to the consideration of bills on the calendar.

At 1:35 the senate, on motion of Mr. Sherman, went into executive session.

At 3 p. m., the senate emerged from secret sension and took up the bill to amend the circuit appeals art, passed on Thursday and reconsidered on motion of Mr. Call.

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A slight amendment was made to the bill so as to give the right of appeal in all cases in-volving the construction of an act of congress and thus amended the bill was allowed to stand

the judiciary.

Mr. Daniel answered that he was so much of Mr. Daniel answered that he was so much of a partisan that he probably could give no answer to this question which would have weight except to those who concurred with him.

Mr. Perkins asked how it was in the senator's own state of Virginia.

Mr. Daniel replied that the judiciary was elected by the logislature. Until recently all the Jodges of the supreme court were ropublicans, but every time the democrats had got a chance they had put out a republican and put in a dmocrat.

This being suspension day Mr. McRao (Ark.) called up the bill to adjust swamp land grants, and fix a limitation for the filling of claims thereunder. Mr. McRae said that the main purpose of the measure was to quiet the titles what those settlers paid to the credit of states what those settlers paid to the United States government.

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Mr. Kligore (Tex.) opposed the measure, and said that he was informed by the interior department that it would cost \$50,000,000 to execute the provisions of the pending bill.

Mr. Bergen (N. J.) and Mr. McMillin (Tenn.) opposed the measure, the former on the ground that it was a vicious bill, and the latter because it was unwise to pass a bill of this importance under enspension of the rules.

On a yea and my vote the bill was lost—113 to 76 at two-thirds vote being necessary to pass the measure.

The house then went into committee of the whole on the naval appropriation bill, Mr. whole on the mana. Shively in the chair.

Mr. Eliot (S. C.) spoke in favor of building the cruiser recommended by the committee.

Mr. White (In.) opposed the increase of the cave, and advocated the settlement of disputes

and the constitution of new ships. The bill as amended had the sanction of the navy department and of the secretary of war. The recommendations were already too conservative to meet the demunds of the times. The people of the country demanded the construction of war ships, and the house should need the demand. He advocated Mr. Boutelle's amendment for two new cruitors and ten tormed basis. The He advocated Mr. Boutelle's amendment for two new cruisors and ten torpedo boats. The cries of the Farmers' Alliance continuent that this country was undergoing a senson of wide-spread depression was not alarming. The country was in a prosperous condition, and we should march on in the protection of practical prosperity, and we should impross foreign nations with the fact that we were strong enough to protect oursolves. We also should be prepared to meet any omergency which might halp a, and should take rank as a naval power with other nations.

Mr. Boutelle (Mo.) spoke in favor of his amendment for two new cruisers and ten torpedo boats, and hoped that the house would properly equip a pavy which should show foreign nations that the United States was prepared for war in tune of peace.

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Mr. Miller (Wis) made a plea for a battle
ship on Lake Winashago, Wis., and was followed by Mr. Herbert (Ala.) in charge of the
bill, who appended to the house to support the
recommendations of the committee for one new recognitions.

Mr. Boutelle's amendment for two new battle ships and ten new torpedo boats was lost by a rote of 162 to 65.

The proposed as an amend-

vote of 102 to 65.

Mr. Cummings then proposed as an amendment one new battle ship of 10,000 tons which ment one new battle ship of 10,000 tons which was look, #9 to 73.

Mr. Boutelle then proposed two steel gunbonts at \$500,000 each, and ten torpedo boats at \$120,000. Look, 104 to 58.

Mr. Cummings submitted an amendment for four torpedo cruisors, \$500,000 each, two light draft gunboats at \$350,000 each, and two torpedo boats at \$125,000 each. Loet.

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Had Not Siept For Years.

Mr. A. Jackeon, an old resident of Rusk, Texas, and manager of the magnifeent new Hotel at Rusk, informs us he had not slept at night for years except in short naps, owing to incessant coughing. He was advised when very much run down to try Ballard's Horehound Syrup; he was immediately relieved of his Cough and his rest improved to such a degree that he could sleep soundly all night; Mr. Jackson states: "I regard Ballard's Horehound Syrup superior to any Cough Syrup on the market, and its freedom from opium and morphina leave no constipation after using it. For this resson alone I consider it the best Cough Syrup in the world for children. My lungs are now stronger than they have been for years. This Syrup is very soothing to the throat and lungs." Sold by Swearingen & Tyler.

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EASTER MANEUVERS.

Down as a Failure.

Waste of Powder-Got Mad and Fought in Earnest.

LONDON, April 19 .- Foreign experts itles cannot justly be blamed for the de lays and demoralization due to the ur to have engaged in a struggle of science against nature on such an occasion.

But conversation with several

the British war office tacticians seem incapable of devising any maneuvers for volunteers except such as are base upon the idea of an enemy's attempted landing at Dover or Portsmouth whereas such an attempt would hardly be made by an actual enemy. It is much more likely that invasion would be somewhere on the Essex const. Another subject of criticism is the

enormous waste of powder. The most obstinute firing was kept up at impossible ranges or long after the supposi titious enemy had been outflanked or decimated. The enemy which was sup posed to have effected a landing nea force, succeed (as per previous arrang-ment) in defeating the defenders of ments, both invaders and defend

The mounted infantry and cyclists which branches were much more num enffs with the invaders

The umpires of the day chief as to the relative merits of the advancing from Maidstone and Chathan a series of snow storms, showers and hail storms causing much suffering among the men. The tactics of these bodies were badly muddled in conse

THE LOUISIANA ELECTION. An Agrimonique Canvass Closed and the

New Orleans, April 19.-The state campaign closed last night, and to-day the different factions are measuring their strength at the polls. The elecextravegant, and opposed the increase of the any as proposed.

Mr Honck idem, O.1 also opposed the construction of more ships, and spoke in favor of Mr. Holman's amendment to strike out the appropriation for a new cruiser.

Mr. Covert (dem N. Y.) made an appeal to the house to go ahead with neval improvements that the construction of propriation of the construction of propriation. The bill as two democratic and two republican. and the people's party. The anti-lot-tery or regular democratic ticket is headed by Murphy J. Foster, while Justice S. D. McEnery is the candidate of the lottery faction. Judge J. E. Breaux heads the anti-lottery republican ticket. and A. H. Leonard is the nomince and A. H. Leonard is the nominee or the lottery wing of that party. R. L. Tannehill is the candidate of the peo-ple's party, but his followers are few. Owing to this chaotic condition of af-fairs it is impressible to reddit what fairs it is impossible to predict who the result of the election will be, but the odds are slightly in favor of Foster for governor. Bets were offered last

night with odds of 5 to 1 on Foster, with few takers.

In New Orleans there are two municipal tickets in the field, one headed by Jos. A. Shakespeare, the present mayor and the other by John Fitzpatrick. The lines are closely drawn between these two factions, and the majority for either of them will be small. The campaign has been marked by intense animosity and there are grave apprehensions that to-day's contest will result in bloodshed.

"Tommy, why are you so naughty? asked his paps. "I dees it's 'tause I'd me," said Tommy. THE CHILDREN.

More than half of the human

race die before they reach the age

of five years. This is a fearful

record and yet this statement is borne out by the facts in every civilized nation under the sur Among savage nations the death rate is of course much larger More than half these deaths come from croup. Some children are predisposed to this disease much more than others. The difficulty in treating it heretofore has been that most cough remedies contain opium and a child can stand but little at a time. One drop of laudanum has been known to kill an infant. This is the great and conspicuous merit of Reid's German Cough and Kindey Cure. It contains no opium nor any other poison, and it can be taken in extreme cases as often as every two minutes until relief is obtained. This makes it an invalu able remedy for the family. For sale by all druggists.

Sylvan Remedy Co.,. POR BENT—On May 1st a house of six rooms.

It was mantels and grates, on North Monroe street. Inquire at thriawold & Co.'s hardware store.



This is the shape of High Prices and all prices at our store. Everything is down. The goods are going, too. The building Cut Prices are moving them.

NEW SPRING CLOTHING is sold as cheap as the others. Nobby Styles; just the thing.

STINE CLOTHING CO.

Decatur, Illinois.

+SPECIAL+ EASTER OFFERING.

- dozen 4-button Real Kid Gloves, tans, slates, browns and black, 63c.
- 10 dozen 8-button Mousquetaire Gloves, tans and browns, 63c.
- 20 dozen Biaritz Gloves, all colors, 98c. 40 dozen Genuine Foster Gloves,

all colors, \$1.00.

A Full Stock of the Celebrated

Four-button Street Gloves, all colors, \$1.50. Four-button Evening Gloves, all shades, \$1.60. Bight-button Mousquetaire Gloves, street shades, \$1.60. Eight-button Mousquetaire Gloves, evening shades, \$1.50.

A splendid line of Men's Gloves for Walking or Driving. Children's and Misses' Gloves.



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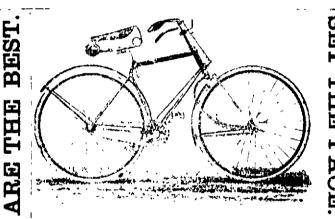
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS. ntered at the Post Office at Decatur, f

TUESDAY EVE., APRIL 19, 1892.

disagreements had been reported out of BABON FAVA in the Coriolanus of the day. "I go, but I shall return," said the Lewiston Journal. Roman bero. Fava's going as Italian Minister at Washington was less sublime but his return will be welcomed. NEW YORK Independent: Tested by systandard which we apply to men in orivate life, Bonjamin Harrison is a not-

able example of our best civilization, and neadministration is worthy of the man. Direcomation relations with the United | States will be resumed on the part of Italy at an early day by sending Baron Fava back to Washington. It is stated that the Baron's recall was entirely sgemet his best jadgment.

Grondia will soon have paid out six hundred thousand dollars in pensions to ex-confederate soldiers and their widows, and that without a protest from the New York Herald or other soldier-hating enteion opposing newspapers.

How. A. M. Jones has written a letter to his county paper, the Calena Gazette, in which he withdraws from the guber

dudge. It says: "The Altgeld purse and McDonnid hand is running for governor." The combination is not sgreen able except to the Democratic toughs t the tough wards in Chicago.

No candid to for governor on the Re publican ticket is meeting or has at any time met with as little opposition as Attorney General Munt. He has antagonuzed no faction and while the other candilates are fighting he is ateadily, quietly and pleasantly sawing wood. When the will probably reap the reward of a clean fight as he justly should,—Ex.

COMPTROLLER AND MATTHEWS has con to the state and is now in Chicago. He will remain to Illinois until atter the state convention. It is reported that Mutthews' county (Pike) delegation will rote in the state convention for Matthews for governor in the hope that their man, who is not a candidate may be accepted finally by the convention as an available compromise of the gubernatorial contest.

In the last two months of 1891 under to McKinley law American manufacthree shipped abroad almost as many locomotives as in any three previous years, their value being almost seventeen million dollare. Most of this vast sum of money was paid for the labor spent in of money was paid for the labor spent in the marking the mechanical field will be as follows: of money was paid for the index speaking the machines. The laborers in turn paid the money to American farmers that the whole countagent in the speaking the money to American farmers that the whole countagent. try was benefited.

Taxax may be more grumblers in the Inited States than in other countries, but it is due to the fact that here people to permitted to complain at pleasure REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

Stewart has a long list of names of business men and firms who have in then ampley graduates of manual training schools. These will be visited, and their opinions as to the thoroughness and practical knowledge the Manual Training School graduates possess will be seoured. Carponters, machists, electrical expect', equineers, and, in fact, the enre field of mechanics will be inventisated and a comparison made with those who are not graduates of training schools. Ohiongo, Mr. Stewart bas found, contains other city in the United States, and Mr. Stewart will be there for a week or more. Similar investigations are now in procross in all other large cities, and the statistics and facts obtained will be very

valuable. An Interesting Contest. Ohicago Journal: A very interesting contested seat onse will be discussed to sorrow in the lower house of Congress. In 1890 Heary T. Noyee was the Republican candidate and Hosea H. Rockwell was the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Twenty-eighth New York District, which includes the city of Elmira, the home of the ex-Governor. now Senator David B. Hill. Mr. Noyes was elected, but the State Canvassing Board, in carrying out their schemes c arceny affecting the Legislature, inaladed the manipulation of the returns in this Congressional district, and de-clared that Rockwell was elected by 89 plurality over Noyes. Noyes contested the seat, and the House Committee on Privileges and Flections, by their chairman, Charles T. O'Ferrall, of Virginia, male a unanimous report that Noves was sleeted and giving him the seat ocsupied by Rockwell. The committee, of

course, has a majority of Demograts. Before this report was made Senator Hill interfered to the extent of using all his powers of persussion and influence to prosure a report favorable to his friend and townsman, Rockwell, the sitting member occupying the stolen seat. In this he failed and was roundly denounced by Chairman O'Ferrall for not minding his own business, and the New York press strongly densured him. But he ass quietly kept up the fight in the Dem. ocratic House, and demands that the re-

port of the committee shall be beaten.

The debate will open to morrow and compy two days. There is no interest nor importance to the case different from their cases, except that the vote will be a test of Hill's personal influence with the immense Democratic majority in the House.

The jury on one case in the Biddefore supreme judicial court disagreed last week, and Judge Virgin improved the

carbuncles, opportunity to give them his opinion of a jury that could not agree in words which he said he would utter slowly, as scrofulous sores, ne wished to measure them.

After scolding them a little the judge blood diseases. said that in the eighteen years he had held court in York county only four

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A Sprained Ankle.

in which he withdraws from the gubernatorial contest. It is not yet known what the effect of this move will be, but it is supposed that it will help Collins from the grant of the United States at Chicago.

The Collow's wishes will be deforred to regarding the appointment of the successor to Gen. Dustin, deceased, assistant treasurer of the United States at Chicago.

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on see fit.
Dated this 16th day of April, A. D. 1802.
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Eyans, I have levied upon the longith, acribed properly, to-wit Lot five (6) in H. 8 Evans' sub division of a part of the northwest quarter (4) of section fifteen (15), townsulp sixteen (16) north range two (2) east of the stilling principal meridian, in Mason county, illinois, as coording to the plat recorded in Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded in Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded in Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded in Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded in Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded in Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at ascending to the plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to the plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to the plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to Book 97, at a second to be plat recorded to be pl

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This isth day of April, A. D. 1892.

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Sheriff Macon County, Ill. PUBLIC NOTICE,

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, The City Electric Railway Company of Decatur, Illinois will present a petition to the City Council of the City of Decatur at its regular meeting, to be held on the 2d of May, 1822, being the first Montay of the said month of May, at the City Council room in the city of Decatur, asking for permission and authority to considerable purply and maintain an electric street council with the council of the permission and called the said city between both Broadway street in said city between both Broadway street and feast Lawrenues street for the period of twenty years, THE CITY ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

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NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, {
 MACON COUNTY. \ 188.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Miller, deceased.

deceased.

To All whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the undorsigned, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Miller.

Notice is hereby given that the undorsigned, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Miller deceased, also of said county on Saturniay, April 2014, 1892, for an order to compound a certain formate, independent due to said estate, and the said county of the said county of the said county of the said county of the said county; at which time all persons in the said county; at which time all persons in the said county out and show cause, if any there he, why such order should not be made.

Dated April 8, 1892.

CATHERINE E. MILLEE, aprê dew.

Administrator's Notice. Administrator's Notice.

Retate of Harry F. Aldridge, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Harry F. Aldridge, late of the county of Mason and State of Himole, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the Coulcy Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against and estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted all persons loadebud to said estate are requested to the make himselfate payment to the under state of the purpose of April 1895.

ou to make state of April, 1882.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1882.

ROBERT P. LYTIE,

Administrator Executrix' Notice.

Estate of Joseph Drake, Deceased.

signed.
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EXECUTEIX' Notice.

Retate of George W. Still, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Recentry of the estate of George W. Still, late of the county of Macon and take of illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decaute, at the June term, on the first Monday in June 21 at which time all persons having claims against, said estate are occilided and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to talk estate are occurred to make immediate payment to the nonnegated.

Libated this ofth day of April, 1871.1.

Administratrix, etc.

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Administrators' Notice. Kstate of Samuel K. Shaffer, Decased.

The undersigned having been appointed A ministrator of the estate of Samuel K. Shaff late of the county of Macon and state of Himo deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appeal to the county of Macon and state of Himo deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appeal to the first Monday in June pext, at which the side of the County Court of Macon county at it court house in Decastur, at the June territ, the first Monday in June pext, at which the side persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for it purpose of having the same adjusted. All peace is make immediate payment to the undersigne Dated this total day of April, 1862.

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BY ALLI Hanks:

You are hereby notified that on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1892, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, will present on the County Gourt of Macon county at Decautr, Illinois, his final report of his acts and dongs as such executor and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and his administration thereof, at which time and pisce you may be present and resist such application if you choose so to do.

[Signed]

F. L. WOOD, Executor.

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the Decatur Club Team.

Hall and Paddock. Chenoweth and Durf. Southwick and McGee. Clugston and Hays.... Powers and Powers made the highest core, and for Springfield Ridgely and Adair were the champions.

During their stay in the city the visitors were entertained at the St. Nicholas hotel. The return game will be played at Springfield May 6. If Springfield vins in the second contest the rubber will have to be played to decide the

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Frank Black of this city, who has an encessful single process of the council for the law to be an encessful single process. A majority of the council for the maintainer from beginning to end. Read the majority of the lecture of the council for the right of way on Wood street from Broadway to Webster street, one block, and from Wood street south on Webster to block, and from Wood street south on Webster to block, to build and operate new extensions of the election. We do not helicate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These successful mirth-provoker and merriment maintainer from beginning to end. Read or draggists. property-owners along the streets named and Collier impersonate two luminaries there given their consent to have the line of the legal bar — Attorney-at-Law busy throughout the year. At mas con-tracts to furnish programmes for the built, and the council will grant the Coarles Hoss, and his Honor, Judge neetings at Baltimore, Philadelphia, prayer of the company. A long switch Willie Hoss. Arthur Moulton, who ranks New York City, Boston, Buffulo, Terre | is to be put in at the corner of Webster | and Cantrell streets. This improvement Haute, Cleveland, Indianapolie, Denver Salt Lake City, Kansas City and St.

nim to come there and do the programme | for the company and the people. A Big Ball.

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Decatur has secured the new post-office; it will be located on North Water street, where the 99 Cent Store now is. Just purchased-a handsome lot of

CITY LEGISLATION A Short Business Session at the

neeting last night.

Improvement committee

Council Meeting. Mayor Chambers and all of the alder men were present at the city council

The plat of Chambers, Bering & Quin an's resurvey of block 9 of Peddeor Burrows' addition was approved. The

petition for a interal sewer in the alley between Cerro Gordo and Eldorado streets, beginning at Jasper and running to Osihoun was referred to the Public

Complaint was made by property owners about the imperfect drainage of land in Powers' second addition. Re erred to the street and alley committee. The W. A. Hale saloon license was ransferred to W. B. Huffacher The plan prepared for the drainage

King's Orchard by Engineer Burgess, and that part of the city lying north of the Wabash and east of Jasper street was placed on file. Mr. Burgess said he thought that the Williams grade adhered to would fill all requirements. The committee to whom was referred he communication from H. Crea and recommended that an order be

Rothfuss for \$10, N. L. Krone \$13.50, to be paid out of that sewer fund between Macon and Wood streets as far as it will pay out. Adopted, The committee to whom was referre the matter of estimating the cost of paving West Macon street from Haworth avenue to Oakland avenue reported the total private cost to be \$5,323,

at an average (of \$1.74 per square jyard. The total public cost will be \$540. The raport was adopted. The same committee estimated the private cost of paving West Wood street from Union etreet to the city limits, at \$15,180. The average cost per yard will be \$1.82. The public cost is estimated

at \$2,550. The report was adopted. The city clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for paving these strets. The claim of Gogerty & Shoemaker for extra work in paving Pratrie avenue wa referred back to the street and alley ommittee, which had out the bill to \$30. The ordinances for a sewer lateral east

slong the Webseh right of way with sanches on Charles and Lowber streets ras laid over. RESOLUTION

dacon street between Monroe and Crea, By Secforth: That a onlyert be structed scross South Broadway at the tersection of Cantral street, to be so

By Cope: That the sidewalk on West

be constructed hereafter. This resolution was accompanied by a report of the en gineer recommending the improvement. By Montgomery: That a wairant h

drawn for \$165.10 to pay Fuller & Tuttle for connecting the Broadway and Jasper

By Sectorth: That the city engineer prepare a profile for a lateral sewer connecting with the sewer on East Wood street, opposite the alley between Broadway and Webster, said sewer to run south to the alley between Decator and better than the St. Louis brick. Mr. Clay streets and running east in the alley to a point twenty feet within Webste street. Referred.

By Sectorth: That a profile be pre pared for a lateral sewer pressed brick which at once proves that the culvert across East Decatur street the clay is just what is desired for the west of the Illinois Central, said sewer ated with Mr. Stare in the enterprise. It 20 feet from Peake street, with a handle will take about \$15,000 to establish the running north in the alley between plant. Mr. Powers has consented to Broadway and Webster to a point within allow the clay to a depth of five feet to 20 feet of the alley between Clay and Decatur streets, Referred,

By Seeforth: That a profile be pre cost \$5,000. This industry means a good pared for a lateral sewer beginning at the bouleverd on East side of Webster skilled workmen, more handsome store and running south on line of said boule fronts and dwellings and prosperity vard to a point 250 feet south of John street, with a branch running east of east on John street, to a point within 20

> The council will meet again next Friday evening.

high as a funny actor, gives prominence to his quizzical performance of Birdie means practically a double track for the Hoss. James B. Gentry, who stands well Thanks, a down-east sheriff minus com-There were 150 couples crowded into Allen, in her delightful impersonation of of the score and entry books. Frank Guards' Armory last night on the cc- Sybil Cerves, introduces her famous Kancasion of the second ball given by Court garoo dance. Miss Adele Farrington 207, Catholic Order of Foresters, arranged has a singing role, and her naturally by James Veale, J. J. Moran and Michael charming vocalism is greatly assisted by Whith Minnesota is one of the most by James Veale, J. J. Moran and Michael charming vocation is greatly assisted by healthy states in the Union, it is one of McGinty, chairmen of the various com-

healthy states in the Union, it is one of the most healthy states in the Union, it is one of the worst for colds, owing to the severe winters. Many of the druggists there make it a rule to give their oustomers just what they call for; but when they come back and say it done no good, they almost invariably recommend Chamberiain's Cough Remedy, as will be seen from the following from Mesers. Wells & Schroeder of Sanborn, Minn.: We have recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy after other leading cough preparations had failed to do any good, and always with the best results. We can always with the best results. We can always rely upon that remedy, as it is sure to effect a cure. It has no equal for children; especially in cases of croup or whoping caugh." 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Neisler

Mickinty, chairmen of the various committees. The Opera House Orchestra turnished the music. There was a fine programme of dances, and support was served in the circuit court room by the ladies of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

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J. D. Smith, superintendent of the works.

Besides these two men were injured.

Jacob Carlson, Wm. Pierce, James Vagh, A. Johnson, Godfrey Water, and an unknown

One of them, Benjamin Cassigore, will probably die. drawn in favor of H. Orea for \$12.25. A. The works consisted of a number of small buildings scattered at a distance of about 300 feet from each other. The nitro-glycerine mill was the first building to go up, and the shock of this explosion caused six other buildings to be rent asunder by the dangerous contents

exploding. The report was terrific and was heard in the surrounding country for many miles. Buildings in the vifor many miles. Buildings in the vi-cinity rocked as if on a stormy sea, and in some instances appeared as if about to topple over. The startled residents rushed from their houses and saw a cloud of dust and smoke flying through the ab, near the lower part of the com-pany's works. They knew instinctively what had happened, and ran for the mountain side fearful lest some of the large houses of the company, in which there were tons of the highest and deadthere were tons of the highest and deadliest explosives might go up at any mo

ment.

When several minutes had passed without their fears being realized, the people cautiously advanced to the scene of the explosion. There the wrecking was found to be on fire and burning flercely. The most timid of those pres ent, seeing in this a new danger—there being a possibility rthat the flames might spread to the storage houses—again fied. The others, however, ran out the company's fire apparatus and water from the lake was used to fight

control and the wreckage scattered about and overhauled for the purpose of finding the men who had been at work in the buildings. Within a few minutes two men were found, both badly injured. The roll of the company's employes was then called and it was found that seven men were missing. These men were undoubtedly dead and search was begun for their

The searchers were mostly old em-ployes of the company and knew that in a case like the present one it was uscless to search among the ruins that still remained where the buildings had stood. They found pieces of flesh and bones scattered over several acres of

ers succeeded in gathering about 150 pounds of mangled fiesh and bone, all he remains of the dead neen. The cause of the explosion is not known, and a representative of the

After several hours' work the search

company on the scene said it would be impossible to ascertain it. SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

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Cook will be present and the first, second
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I. O. O. F.

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> Sermon by Rev. W. H. Moore, of Chicago-Description of the Edifice

DEDICATION SERVICES.

streets, and to-day marked another Rector Goodwin: important epoch in the history of the custy which includes among its members many representative families and wealthy citizens of the community. This is the day of the formal dedication

Our line of body carriages is in and to want you to see them. Over 80 styles a select from. F. D. Bantuolomew. of the editice which has been constructed with the greatest regard for artistic and ecolesiastical form. The beauty and Turru, \$3 - Hockius & Moore, dentists fluish of the church command the ad-Smore the oil reliable K. & W. sigare miration of all beholders. It is a model Episcopal church. IRON VARES for lawne and cometery THE DEDICATION

The church was crowded at 10:30 a. m to-day when the dedication exercises were held. The Right Reverend Bishop grocers, is in the Syndicate Block. dif Seymour announced in the beginning of the services that the services this morning were preparatory to the dedicatory best in use, at Lytle & Eckels' Hardware

aid us in the preparatory services. In they stack is covered with stone similar the situation of the church. On the south the ritualistic services preceding the sermon Rev. D. N. Gunningham of Springfield, Rev. Mr. Smith, of Lincoln, and Rev. Mr. Oram, of Paris, participated.

Rev. W. H. Moore delivered the sermon from Joshua 4th chapter and 21st yerse: "What mean these stones?" Mr. 8 feet high. the ritualistic services preceding the ser-

verse: "What mean these stones?" Mr. 8 feet high. Mo re was a former rector of St. John's church. He had seen it when it was weak and struggling, and he saw it now strong and confident. This fact especially Rock Plastrin is a little affected by water and will not full off from leaking. Mannfactured by the Decatur Rock formed. During the sermon he made some very beautiful references to the Plasto one Bethesda Water are George W. Ebrhart & Co. Call for Bethesda Water. application with which he opened his discourse:

Streeping the Hydicate block and see the property of the Hydicate block and see the during the series one bread center angle and two side asiles. There are three entrances in front, the main entrance being from the carry workers in the church who had two property of the dourse to the declaration with which he opened his discourse:

"This is an occasion of the deepest Hydicate block and see the during the series one bread center angle and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle and two side asiles and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle and two side asiles and two side asiles. There is one bread center angle as weather the control of the decision of the deepert of the during the sevent hem deeper to be a symbolical design by the asymbolical the sevent hem deeperd to be a symbolical the sevent hem deeperd to be a symbolical the sevent hem deeperd to be a symbolical the symbolical the sevent hem deeperd to be a symbolical the symbolical theory is an expectation.

Oglesby of Eikhart, Ray, D. Hall of Day suport, and Mrs. Slaughter of Spring field, by L. Barrows and family: Rev Berrele of Araola, by Mr. and Mrs. R. W.

THE NEW CHURCH.

of the Beautiful Edifice—The Memorial Windows, These who have seen the beautiful

church know in a general way what it is. Those who have not visited it, as well as Sunday the first service was held in the those who have done so, will be interested new St. John's Episcopal church at the in perusing the following full description nontheast corner of Eudorado and Church of the adults, which was distanted by of the edifice which was dictated by

The general character of the building is closely silic to the early Roglish period of Cothic architecture of about the thirteenth century, and in its conception and in the material used the general feeling of that date has been noticeably reproduced. The situation of the lot and the recurrements of the parish made it the requirements of the parish made it possible to follow the traditional lires in the plan, and the result is the eastern chancel, the ambulatory, the south porch, the baptistry at the chirch entrance and the high clear story with its arched sup-

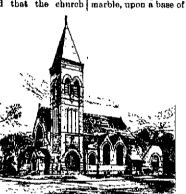
The church messures over all 120 feet in length and 50 feet in width, not includ-ing the tower, in which is the main en-trance. In front two small porches flink the baptistery, which forms a circular projection directly under the great wee

The exterior is of variegated o'd red be deducated to Him whose blessings we invoke upon it. To this service you have come and we set that you join and with beautiful stanced glass. The chimater of the come and we set that you join and

The nave is 4) feet high, with righly paneled black ash culing, supported by ornamental trueses, of old red oak.
Tho nave proper is 40x60 feet, and is seated with pews handsomely carved in

interest—the consummation of many bopes—the answer of many prayers.

The speaker reasoned that the church interest and the church interest.



up to Gilgal and inquired what the stones Morth street. The bishop and all of the wishing elegymen dined at the Burrows residence to:day.

MANY people who pride themselves on the street of the stree dedicated to obristian unity. We believe

the world to the truth as it is in Jesus. Speaking of the officer of the church the speaker and that unless there is snother dispensation then indeed must THE barbers' union have not yet rethe church of the present be the church erved their charter. So far nothing has of the past. While we do not claim it been decided as to the scale of prices which they will adopt nor whether they will ask their bosses to close their shops on Sunday mornings.

The color scheme, the face of the chancel itself has been so arranged in not have its origin in the time of Henry the VIII, if so it ought to perish, but that its origin was in the birth, the death and the recurrence of the pass. The color as to form a frame work for the chancel. Bands of ornaments are so the VIII, if so it ought to perish, but that its origin was in the birth, the death and the recurrence of the step of the side walls as to lead the eye step by step to the angle ended sansath the resurrence of Jesus Christ.

Our sinful divisions have palsied the arm that was stretched out to help us. een decided as to the scale of prices that was stretched out to belo us. lirection of Instructor Wechter will com- What do we mean by wo ship? It is not pete for a number of prizes and it is safe merely prayer and acception of sacrifice. It is not receiving from, but giving to with God. We oder ourselves a escrifice to Recorder McClellan a government war-him. Worship calls away from self. We rant to 160 acres in lend in 1, 18, 1 east, bless God for the many blessed things sened to John Dodson, private in Cap- we have received from him. He gives nin Scott's company, First Regiment of these because he loves us. This alter is Pennsylvania volunteer, dated March 1, in the place of honor because we plead 1851, signed by President Millard Fill-

before it the escrifice made by Ohrist. The Eucharist ought to be chief in every service, but it is not. We have been dis obedient in putting other things before it, and through our unbelief we forget that "If Christ be lifted up he will draw all men unto him." When we look upon these atones we shall remove the chapel. The entire Sunday member Lookwood and Fuller and others whose prayers and labor have contributed to this result. Presently we shall offer this result. That will add much to the to this result. Presently we shall offer that sacrifice by which they loved

achievements of men in bringing about

out of place to say that he who has min-

setered to Bt. John's church is largely

will remember the remark made by him

when he was about to take obside of

this church. "If the people will respond to

earnest work they shall have earnest

work" This building is the response or

Following the sermon the Holy Com

tered by Bishop Seymour, assisted by

Dr. Dresser of Obt.aspaign, and Dr. Tay-

The visiting olergyman and former

saidents of Decatur were entertained as

followes: Rt. Rev. Bishop Seymonr of

nnion was celebrated, being adminis-

the part of the church.

lor, of Springfield.

Sermon and confirmation night by Bishop Seymour.

Tus tenth annual encampment of the Illinois division, Sons of Veterans, will be held in Bushnell, beginning June 20, the new covenant. Referring again to the building, he said: end condaming four or five days. Exensive arrangements are being made by "These stones are piled here to witness to the message delivered to the sainte. encompment, and it promises to be of the most successful ever held, number of prizes will be awarded They may cramble back to their original elements, but the faith that onlis us to witness will never perish." "The church" is the enstedian of the faith. It will not,

HE IS COMING. Walt for Him

sting military companies.

Dr. E. A. Filmore, the eminent Spe ualiet and Consulting Physician of the of the faith that God had honored. ifo. will be at the St. Nicholas Hotel o daturday, Sunday and Monday, April 23, the erection of this church, but it is not 4 and 26, and shall be pleased to receive vieit from all those in need of medica advice or treatment. The Doctor solicits due this grand consummation. We sass that have been pronounced incurale by other physicians. No charge i made for consultation, examination sdvice, so that you have nothing to los nd much to gain by placing your case efore the Doctor and getting his opinion enarding the same. To those desiring restment there is a small charge fo edicines, which the Doctor prepare sin self. Do not miss this opportunity t consulting one of the most able an tecesseful Specialists in the country In order to give all an opportunity onsult him, the Doctor has decided teep his parlors at the St. Nicholas Hote open from 9 s. m. to 9 p. m. Remember

hat the Dodor will be here for the Springfield, by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Oninlan; Rev. W. H. Moore and wife of Chidays only—Saturday, Sunday and Mon esgo, by Mrs. Moeller; Mrs. G. A. Hurd day, April 28J, 24th and 25th. of Chicago, by Mrs. M. M. Goodwin; Dr. Taylor of Springfield, by B. K. Durfee CHARLIE-"Many thanks to you, Harry and family; Rev. and Mrs. Smith of Lin-I took your advice and bought the Blush of Roses of Swearingen & Tyler, Nellie's face is clear and smooth, and we see Dr. Dresser of Champaign and Rev. Henry N. Cunningham, by Mr. and Mrs.

was not built to gratify social pride, nor that assthetic tastes night be satisfied.

When the children of the people came that the distribution of the church. The font ewer, which holds the banti

ple mosaic in the main body of the floor in christian unity, in the conversion of and forming a Greek cross design under the world to the truth as it is in Jesus.

Speaking of the officer of the church.

The chancel is large and commodicus.

the sanctuary being apsidal in shape. It is lighted by 21 windows, amber and gold in tone, the cross being traced in jewels in each window. The treatment of the chancel conforms with the treatment of the stained glass. The color scheme, the resting on a raised page of three steps. The treatment of the wood work is in sureque cak, noh in color, and elaborately carved. The alter rail is composed of six brase standards, the brackets of

ct six prass standards, the brackets of which are sprays of lithes, supporting the polished oek rail.

The choir room on the north side of the church has a special porch for the boys' entrance. It is lighted by eight stained glass windows. Lookers for the vestments of the choir boys are provided, and each boy has a key to his own tellougings.

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The ambulatory leads from the choir
room back of the chancel to the south
side of the church. Through the ambulatory the choir boys move in procession
into the south sisle of the chancel. Folding doors lead from the choir room
directly into the cld church, which is
now the chunch. The chiral The chancel.

see church. That will aild much The rector's study is in the southeast corner of the building. It is lighted by south windows of stained glass. Both

gau and electric light have been put in the study. A grate affords cheerful bent, while the tiled hearth and mantel adds while the third hearth and mantel adds to the beauty of the finishing.

There are no finer windows in any country than the memorial windows They are furnished by Lamb & Co., of New York, a house founded more than

it cannot change its faith to suit the loss of the present day. Contact with the world often brought the Hebrews into trouble, but the stones continuity the incarnation of Christ Beginning with the first window in the north transept, where the thought illus-trated is the annuncement of the birth

the church to the last window in the south tracept, which pictures in simost living colors the ascension of Christ. The windows picture the life of Christ in this order: "The Annonucement of the Annole to the Street or the Str

this order: "The Announcement of the Angels to the Shepherds of the Birth of Onrist," "The Nativity," "Christ in the Temple," "The First Miracle," "Christ and the Woman at the Well," "Christ and the Woman at the Well," "Christ Blessing the Little Childrep," "The Transfiguration," "The Angel of the Resurre-tron," and "The Accession." Two of the windows, "Christ in the Temple," and "Christ Blessing the Little Children," are from celebrated paintings by Hoffmann. The paintings seem to have been reproduced exactly in the glass, so faithfully have the color effects been oppied. The pictures are so true as to be

have been reproduced exactly in the glass, so faithfully have the color effects been copied. The pictures are so true as to be almost startling. There is a richness and fineness about them that one would hardly expect to see accomplished in anything besides oil. The first of these two windows is in memoriam of Rev. M. M. Goodwin's mother. The other one is in memoriam of William M. Boyd.

The third memorial window is to the memory of Flora Race Bashford, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Race. The title is "The angel of the Resurrection." Like the others, the work on the window is a rare artistic triumph.

The inscriptious on the three memorial

The inscriptions on the three me ndows in as follows: In Loving Memory of My Mother. 1815-Mary C. Goodwin-1881. Her son, the Rev. M. M. Goodwin.

To The Glory of God In Loving Memory of Flora Base Bashford.

The intention is to have the series of memorial windows completed as friends from time to time wish to place in the church windows in memory of their friends. In the meantime the glass used is without any figures, but of a color that harmonizes well with the other windows. The large rose window is the west and harmonizes well with the other windows.

The large rose window in the west end of the nave is the gift of the ladies' society. It is beautiful in harmonious coloring. Prominent in it are the Alpha and Omega and other ecclesiastical symbols. Just beneath that window are four square windows representing the four geospellers, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John.

The alexantory windows of the nave 20

and John.
The clear-story windows of the nave, 20 in number, ere the gift of the ladies of the Saturday Market of the church.
The windows of the baptistery were given to the church by St. Martha's Capter. The centre window is an illustrated the second of the control of the co minated cross, while the three to the right and the three to the left are cherubs heads in different poses turned towards

heads in different poses turned towards
the illuminated cross.

Another memorial of the late William
M. Boyd is a Credence table which is
placed in the sanctuary at the right of
the altar. It consists of a polished oak
shelf, with polished brass ornamentation
in florum extending an the well short

shelf, with polished brass or a spoised oas, shelf, with polished brass or ammentation in flowers extending up the wall about three feet, surmounted by a small brass cross. The same ornamentation is also seen about two feet beneath. The edge of the Credence bears the inscription, "In Memoriam—William M. Boyd."

The building is lighted by incandescent lights motuding gas, clusters of which spring from the columns on either side of the center. Other lights are placed in suitable places. The building is hasted by steam. The whole cost of the building is about \$2^5,000. The parish of \$L. John's has been fortunate in its selection of builders of the new church. First among these are the rector, Rev. M. M. Goodwin, whose cultivated and scholarly taste has been used with most satisfactory effect. H. F. Starbuck, the architect, brought to the work not only a wide experience, but a wealth of technical information that has been invaluable. To him is due the credit for the purity and exactness of the and need towardable. To him to due the credit for the purity and exactness of the architectural forms, the beauty of the design. The contractors were R. C. Young & Sons. Their work has been that of skilful and careful workmen, who have had much experience in this and the old country.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. R. Bresie is in Memphis on busi-Bert Hildebrandt is in Chicago or Zack Pope is in Mattoon to-day on

Dr. E. J. Brown has returned from Smith Orowder has returned from the

Rev. David Gay, of Fort Worth, is in the city on a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Overmire are in Danville to-day visiting friends

Mrs. William Kissell, of Toscola, is the guest of Mrs. Harley Maris. Mrs. E. W. McIntosh is very sick at her home on Prairie svenue. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lee, 981 South Collax, Sunday,—a daughter.

Waiter Witherlee, of Chicago, is in the city visiting Attorney C. O. Leforgee. Miss Florence Beatty is in Maron vis-ting her sister, Mis. Stoutenborough. Mrs. Bolmes Cloyd, who has been sick for some time pust, is very low to-day. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Payne, 808 North Jusper street, April 17,—a daugh-Nellie Sanderlin went to Macon this

Mrs. C. B. Hughes returned to-day from a visit with friends and relatives in Bement.

Attorney General Hunt was at the St. Nicholas to day greeting his many Deca-tur friends. Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Allen were at Springfield yesterday and visited the Prince Sanitarium.

Miss Ida Meredith and Miss Grace Oeborn, of Taylorville, arrived to the city to-day to visit Mrs. Charles Shilling. Mrs. Lads Booth, of Toledo, arrived in the city to-day from Peoria, and is the guest of Mrs. T. T. Roberts on West Main

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Grove, of Charles-

ton, who have been in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grove on West De-catur street, departed to-day for their O. L. Conu, of Mt. Zion, left to day

Grand Chancellor F. C. Cook, of Peoris, irrived in the city to day and will exem-ply the secret work in the three degrees

to-night at the meeting of Chevalie Buyard Lodge, No. 189. Major V. Warner of Cunton, Republioan aspirant for the congressional nomi-nation, was in the city last night confer-ing with local statesmen. He needs nine

Springfield News: Miss Elizabeth Miller of Decatur returned to her home this morning. She has been in the city under morning. She has been in the city under surgical treatment for some time, and has recovered her sight in a large

cour camping party last summer?" She: I should say so. We had seven girls and seven men, and when we came home there were forty-nine engagements in the

Patient: "Then, doctor, you do not notably in the First, Third, Fifth, Sixth feel any anxiety regarding my case?" "Not at all! If I did I would ask you to at the bill of the property of the settle the bill at once. Wife: "John, you slept with your clothes on last night." Husband: "I know it. I didn't want to tie that neck-

Significant: When a girl's father stamps his foot it usually signifies that he is going to try to send it through the

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BIG FIRE AT KENOSHA.

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[Special to the REPUBLICAN.] CBICAGO, April 19 -A fire at Kenoshs, Wis this morning burned four squares of property, including Northwest Wire panies, lumber and coal yards, and several dwellings. Losses estimated at over

[Nors—F. H. Kall, formerly of Deca-tur, is in business at Kennsha, where ha is publishing a paper. It is probable that he easaped the fire, as from the telegram it appears that the fire was in the manufacturing district.]

AFFECTS MODERN WOODMEN ecision Rendered at Dixon That Certain Officers Cannot be

Removed.

In the circuit court of Whiteside county Judge Cartwright rendered a decision in the cace of Pavey, auditor, vs. the Modern prought by the attorney general or behalf of the auditor against the Moder has recovered her sight in a large measure.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Shoaff of Danville are in the city on a brief visit. They attended the dedication of St. John's church to-day. Possibly they will remain in the city until after the reception at the St. Nicholes.

Charles Ruchi arrived home to-day after a two months stay on his large farm near Shailer. Lows. That state her of the court required the defendants, Dr. P. S. McKenney and others, to pay the coates, heapings. The Charles Kuchi arrived home to-day nofter a two months stay on his large farm near Shaller, Iowa. That state has suffered as much from snow and rains as Illinois, and the much has put the roads in bad shape. Mr. R. learned that recently a naked farm within three miles of Storm Lake sold at \$65 per acre.

HR: "Did you have a good time on your camping party last summer?" She: "U should say ac. We had seen a significant to the saditor, nor made it within the time fixed by law."

The city election for seven alder io progress to-day, and in several wards

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